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Applicant : Lis K. Renini, et al.
Application No. : 09/839,715
Filed : April 20, 2001
Title : SWEET MICROWAVE POPCORN PRODUCT AND METHOD FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF
Grp./Div. : 1761
Examiner : Robert A. Madsen
Docket No. : 42421/KMO/G460

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Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims Fee	67	* 68	0	x \$9.00	x \$18.00	-0-
Independent Claims	3	** 3	0	x \$42.00	x \$84.00	-0-
Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$140.00	\$280.00	-0-
TOTAL FILING FEE						\$0.00
NO ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED ****	IF NO FEE REQUIRED, INSERT "0"					-0-
LIST INDEPENDENT CLAIMS: 1, 51 and 68						
* IF HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 20 OR LESS, WRITE "20" IN COLUMN 3 ** IF HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 3 OR LESS, WRITE "3" IN COLUMN 3 *** PAY THIS FEE ONLY WHEN MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS ARE ADDED FOR THE FIRST TIME **** IF NO FEE REQUIRED, ADDRESS ENVELOPE TO "BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENTS"						

Attached is our check for \$ to pay the fees calculated above.

☒ A Petition for Extension of Time and the required fee are enclosed.

Other enclosures:

Amendment Transmittal Letter
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by or to give effect to this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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Commissioner:

In response to the Office action of August 12, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims

✓
Please cancel claim 12 and amend claim 1. All of pending claims 1 to 11 and 13 to 68 follow:

A1 1. (Amended) A sweet microwave popcorn product comprising:
a microwaveable container;
a plurality of unpopped corn kernels in the container;